

LABOR SERVICES DIVISION[875]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 89A.3, the Elevator Safety Board hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 71, “Administration of the Conveyance Safety Program,” Iowa Administrative Code.

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers standard pertaining to elevator inspector qualifications will end effective January 1, 2014. Currently, Iowa relies on that standard to determine if an applicant is qualified to be an elevator inspector. To stay current, Iowa must update a related definition.

The purposes of this amendment are to make the rule current, protect the health and safety of the public and implement legislative intent.

If requested in accordance with Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b” by the close of business on September 10, 2013, a public hearing will be held on September 11, 2013, at 10:30 a.m. in the Capitol View Room at 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa. Interested persons will be given the opportunity to make oral statements and file documents concerning the proposed amendment. The facility for the oral presentations is accessible to and functional for persons with physical disabilities. Persons who have special requirements should call (515)281-5915 in advance to arrange access or other needed services.

Written data, views, or arguments to be considered in adoption shall be submitted by interested persons no later than September 11, 2013, to Division of Labor Services, 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0209. Comments may be sent electronically to kathleen.uehling@iwd.iowa.gov.

No variance procedures are included in this rule. Applicable variance procedures are set forth in 875—Chapter 66.

After analysis and review of this rule making, no impact on jobs will occur.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 89A.

The following amendment is proposed.

Amend rule **875—71.1(89A)**, definition of “CEI,” as follows:

“*CEI*” means a person who is a certified elevator inspector or a certified elevator inspector supervisor ~~pursuant to ASME QEI-1-2007~~ and who received the certification from a certifying organization that holds a valid document of accreditation issued by an accreditation body in accordance with ANSI/ISO/IEC 17024.